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SUBJECT: INDIA WILL LIKELY SUPPORT HUMAN RIGHTS RAPPORTEUR
FOR DPRK MANDATE

REF: SECSTATE 27281

Classified By: POLCOUNS Ted Osius for reasons 1.4 (b,d)

11. (C) Poloff delivered reftel demarche to MEA Director (United Nations Economic and Social) Dinesh Patnaik on March 17, seeking India's support for the extension of the mandate for the UN's Special Rapporteur for the human rights situation in North Korea. Patnaik noted that the GOI has supported such mandates in the past, and that we can expect its support in this instance as well.

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